Atty. Dkt. No. 069952-0201

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: LUDLOW et al.

Title: METHOD OF OBTAINING VIABLE HUMAN CELLS, INCLUDING

HEPATIC STEM/PROGENITOR CELLS

Appl. No.: 10/620,433

Filing Date: 07/17/2003

Examiner: Anoop Kumar Singh

Art Unit: 1632

Confirmation 1097

Number:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.
- [] Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.
 - [\mathbf{X}] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	41	-	87	=	0	х	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	3	-	17	=	0	x	\$200.00	= '	\$0.00
First p	presentation	of a	ny Multiple I	Deper	ndent Claims:	+	\$360.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FEI	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[X] Extension for response filed within the first mont	h: \$120.00 \$120.00
[] Extension for response filed within the second me	onth: \$450.00 \$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the third mon	th: \$1,020.00 \$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth mo	onth: \$1,590.00 \$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month	th: \$2,160.00 \$0.00
EX	TTENSION FEE TOTAL: \$120.00
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d): \$130.00 \$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DIS	CLAIMER FEE TOTAL: \$120.00
[X] Small Entity Fees App	ply (subtract ½ of above): \$60.00
Extens	ion Fees Previously Paid: \$0.00
	TOTAL FEE: \$60.00

The above-identified fees of \$60.00 are being paid by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to

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Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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